

1622Z 7 SEPT 59

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DIRECTOR

IPD (1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8)

ROUTINE

s/c (9)

RAS

TDR: 1629Z 7 SEPT 59

IN 66 25X1A

OP IN

X1A

NO NIGHT ACTION

UNSATISFACTORY REPORT

1. LOSS OF OXYGEN, 540 PSI IN 40 MIN, AFTER 6 HOURS OF FLIGHT DUE TO A FAULTY EXHALATION VALVE.
2. DEFECTIVE PART-VALVE, EXHALATION KEY 28A-137.
3. RECOMMENDATION-RETURN TO MANUFACTURE REQUESTING A THOROUGH ANALYSIS OF CAUSE FACTORS IN THE INTERMITTENT MALFUNCTION OF THIS VALVE.

END OF MESSAGE

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